

TABLE 16
U.S. TOBACCO TRADE BALANCE
UNMANUFACTURED AND MANUFACTURED
(\$1,000)

Tobacco Type	January - March					
	1998			1999		
	Imports	Exports	Trade Balance	Imports	Exports	Trade Balance
Unmanufactured Tobacco						
Flue-cured	30,467	199,673	169,206	55,677	259,388	203,711
Burley	25,612	107,088	81,476	39,701	80,332	40,631
Oriental	160,912	0	(160,912)	86,726	0	(86,726)
Other	33,219	75,894	42,675	27,825	66,735	38,910
Total Unman.	250,210	382,655	132,445	209,929	406,455	196,526
Manufactured Tobacco						
Cigarettes	13,118	1,045,109	1,031,991	22,800	957,304	934,504
Other	97,523	167,780	70,257	60,006	158,828	98,822
Total Manuf.	110,641	1,212,889	1,102,248	82,806	1,116,132	1,033,326
Total	360,851	1,595,544	1,234,693	292,735	1,522,587	1,229,852

NOTE: DUE TO DATA AGGREGATION, ROUNDING ERRORS MAY OCCUR.

SOURCE: COMPILED FROM BUREAU OF CENSUS RECORDS.

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